

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

EXECUTIVE ORDER W-128-95

WHEREAS, the effect of state participation in procedures prescribed by Congress in Public Law 103-227 of 1994 carried the risk of arrogating control of education to a federal agency, granting broad authority to the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Education over approval of state improvement plans; and

WHEREAS, even if the legislation were amended so substantially by the 104th Congress as to eliminate such risk, its continued funding in FY 95-96 remains highly uncertain following action by the House of Representatives to eliminate all further funding; and

WHEREAS, it would be imprudent to expend the current grant offered under P.L. 103-227 to embark on planning processes for programs whose future funding is highly uncertain, or to begin programs that California would be obliged to support if federal funding should not materialize;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Director of Finance is directed not to approve any Section 28 request for the purpose of releasing funds allocated the state under P.L. 103-227.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand
and caused the Great Seal of the State of
California to be affixed this 20th day of
October 1995.

Governor of California

ATTEST:

Secretary of State